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WORKSHOP ON TIME USE

The above workshop on time-allocation in economic and social accounts will be held May 15-16 at the Survey Research Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48106. Some 20-30 participants will be invited by the NBER Conference on the Computer in Economic and Social Research. It is not expected that formal papers will be prepared, although the workshop proceedings will be summarized by a rapporteur. For information about the Conference please write the workshop chairman, Dr. F. Thomas Juster, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan.

WORKSHOP ON ECONOMICS AND STOCHASTIC CONTROL

This fourth Workshop in the series is sponsored by the NBER Conference on the Computer in Economic and Social Research. It will be held May 21-23 in Cambridge, Massachusetts at the Fenway-Cambridge Hotel. The purpose of the Workshop is to bring together a group of economists and engineers to share ideas about applications of control theory methods to a wide range of economic problems (macroeconomic and microeconomic models). Improvements in optimization and estimation methods, which are presently used by control theorists (non-linear estimation and identification) will also be considered. David Kendrick and Edison Tse are the coordinators of the Workshop. Persons interested in obtaining further information should contact David Kendrick, Department of Economics, University of Texas, Austin, Texas 78712.

WORKSHOP ON MICROANALYTIC MODELS, STATE OF THE ART, AND PROSPECTS FOR THE FUTURE

The purpose of the above Workshop is to bring together social scientists to discuss building microeconomic models, programming computer microsimulation systems and applying microdata to microbehavioral research. In addition, critiques of the components of existing models as well as discussions on computer systems for microsimulation, policy applications, research under way and prospects for future research will be offered by 25 participants. The Workshop, which is sponsored by the NBER Conference on the Computer in Economic and Social Research, will be held May 29-30 in Washington, D.C. at the Urban Institute. For further information contact the coordinator, Richard Wertheimer, The Urban Institute, 2100 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037.

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